

Sec. 17. To guard against hasty or partial legislation and encroachments of the Legislative Department upon the co-ordinate Executive and Judicial Departments, every bill which shall have passed both Houses of the Legislature shall be presented to the Governor; if he approve he shall sign it, but if not he shall return it with his objections to the House in which it shall have originated, who shall enter the objections at large upon the Journals, and proceed to reconsider it; if after such reconsideration a majority of the members elected shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, with the objections, to the other House, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered; if approved by a majority of the members elected of that House, it shall become a law; but in such cases the votes of both Houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for or against the bill shall be entered on the Journals of each House respectively; if any bill shall not be returned by the Governor within five days (Sundays excepted,) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the General Assembly shall, by its adjournment, prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law.

The question being upon its adoption;

Mr. Mackubin demanded the yeas and nays;

The demand being sustained,

The yeas and nays were called and appeared as follows:

#### AFFIRMATIVE.

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| Messrs.          | Galt,       | Manro,     |
| Austin,          | Groome,     | McKaig,    |
| Brent,           | Hammond,    | McMaster,  |
| Brewer, of Mnt'y | Hardcastle, | Perry,     |
| Brooke,          | Hayden,     | Pleasants, |
| Brown,           | Hodson,     | Rennolds,  |
| Carter,          | Longwell,   | Rider,     |
| Cover,           | Mackubin,   | Riggs,—24. |
| Denson,          |             |            |

#### NEGATIVE.

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| Messrs.          | Garey,           | Murray,          |
| Carmichael, P't, | George,          | Nicolai,         |
| Alvey,           | Gill,            | Parker,          |
| Archer,          | Goldsborough, D. | Parran, Chas. S. |
| Barnes,          | Goldsborough, T. | Parran, John,    |
| Barry,           | Hall,            | Peters,          |
| Bateman,         | Henderson,       | Pole,            |
| Bell,            | Hoblitzell,      | Ringgold,        |
| Bennett,         | Hollyday,        | Rogers,          |